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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

This Response to Restriction Requirement and Preliminary Amendment replies to the requirement of an election of claims in the Office Action mailed October 3, 2006, and sets forth preliminary claim amendments. Please amend the above-identified application as follows prior to substantive consideration of the claims: